

**Devotion School**

**HIGH**

**PERFORMANCE**

**CHARRETTE**

**April 2, 2015**

**HMFH** Architects, Inc.



# AGENDA

- **Introduction – Project Overview** 10 min
- **Public Comments** 20 min
- **Review of LEED Scorecard** 20 min
- **Focus Areas**
  - Energy and Atmosphere** 60 min
    - Renewable Energy / PV
    - Energy Efficiency Measures
    - Utility Incentives
  - Indoor Environmental Quality** 30 min
  - Water Efficiency** 15 min
  - Sustainable Sites** 20 min
- **Other Goals** 30 min
- **Next Steps** 5 min

# **PROJECT OVERVIEW**

- **1,044 Students**
- **PK-8<sup>th</sup> Grade**
- **Approx. 227,000 S.F.**
- **Renovation of 1913 Building, New Construction for rest of the building**
- **Now in Schematic Design Phase**
- **Town Vote in June 2015**
- **Construction Start Summer of 2016**
- **Occupancy in Fall of 2019**

# PUBLIC COMMENT





# LEED V4 SCORECARD

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Credit Integrative Process

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15	0	0	Location and Transportation	15
			Credit LEED for Neighborhood Development Location	15
1			Credit Sensitive Land Protection	1
2			Credit High Priority Site	2
5			Credit Surrounding Density and Diverse Uses	5
4			Credit Access to Quality Transit	4
1			Credit Bicycle Facilities	1
1			Credit Reduced Parking Footprint	1
1			Credit Green Vehicles	1

2	7	3	Sustainable Sites	12
Y			Prereq Construction Activity Pollution Prevention	Required
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		2	Credit Site Development - Protect or Restore Habitat	2
	1		Credit Open Space	1
	3		Credit Rainwater Management	3
1	1		Credit Heat Island Reduction	2
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	1		Credit Site Master Plan	1
1			Credit Joint Use of Facilities	1

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6	4	6	Credit Optimize Energy Performance	16
1			Credit Advanced Energy Metering	1
		2	Credit Demand Response	2
	3		Credit Renewable Energy Production	3
	1		Credit Enhanced Refrigerant Management	1
		2	Credit Green Power and Carbon Offsets	2

2	11	0	Materials and Resources	13
Y			Prereq Storage and Collection of Recyclables	Required
Y			Prereq Construction and Demolition Waste Management Planning	Required
	5		Credit Building Life-Cycle Impact Reduction	5
1	1		Credit Building Product Disclosure and Optimization - Environmental Product Declarations	2
	2		Credit Building Product Disclosure and Optimization - Sourcing of Raw Materials	2
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	1	1	Credit Interior Lighting	2
	1	2	Credit Daylight	3
	1		Credit Quality Views	1
	1		Credit Acoustic Performance	1

2	4	0	Innovation	6
1	4		Credit Innovation	5
1			Credit LEED Accredited Professional	1

3	2	0	Regional Priority	4
	1		Credit Regional Priority: Specific Credit - Indoor Water Use Reduction	1
	1		Credit Regional Priority: Specific Credit - Rainwater Management	1
	2		Credit Regional Priority: Specific Credit - High Priority Site	1
1			Credit Regional Priority: Specific Credit: Optimize Energy	1

50	41	20	TOTALS	Possible Points: 110
Certified: 40 to 49 points, Silver: 50 to 59 points, Gold: 60 to 79 points, Platinum: 80 to 110				

# GOALS

- What is important to Brookline?
- What should be included in the project?
- What are the priorities?
- Aim to speak about Goals, NOT Measures or Options
  - Renewable Energy or Reduce Greenhouse Gas Emissions are Goals
  - Photovoltaics is an Option



# HIGH PERFORMANCE GOALS: ENERGY AND ATMOSPHERE

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# BUILDING ENVELOPE

- **Roof: R 40**
- **Wall: R 16.09**
- **Window: U 0.3**
- **Window area: 28%**



# **BUILDING USE SCHEDULE**

- **Normal School Day**
- **Vacation Weeks**
- **Weekends**
- **Summer Schedule / Summer School?**
- **Times of Partial Occupancy? Use Zones?**



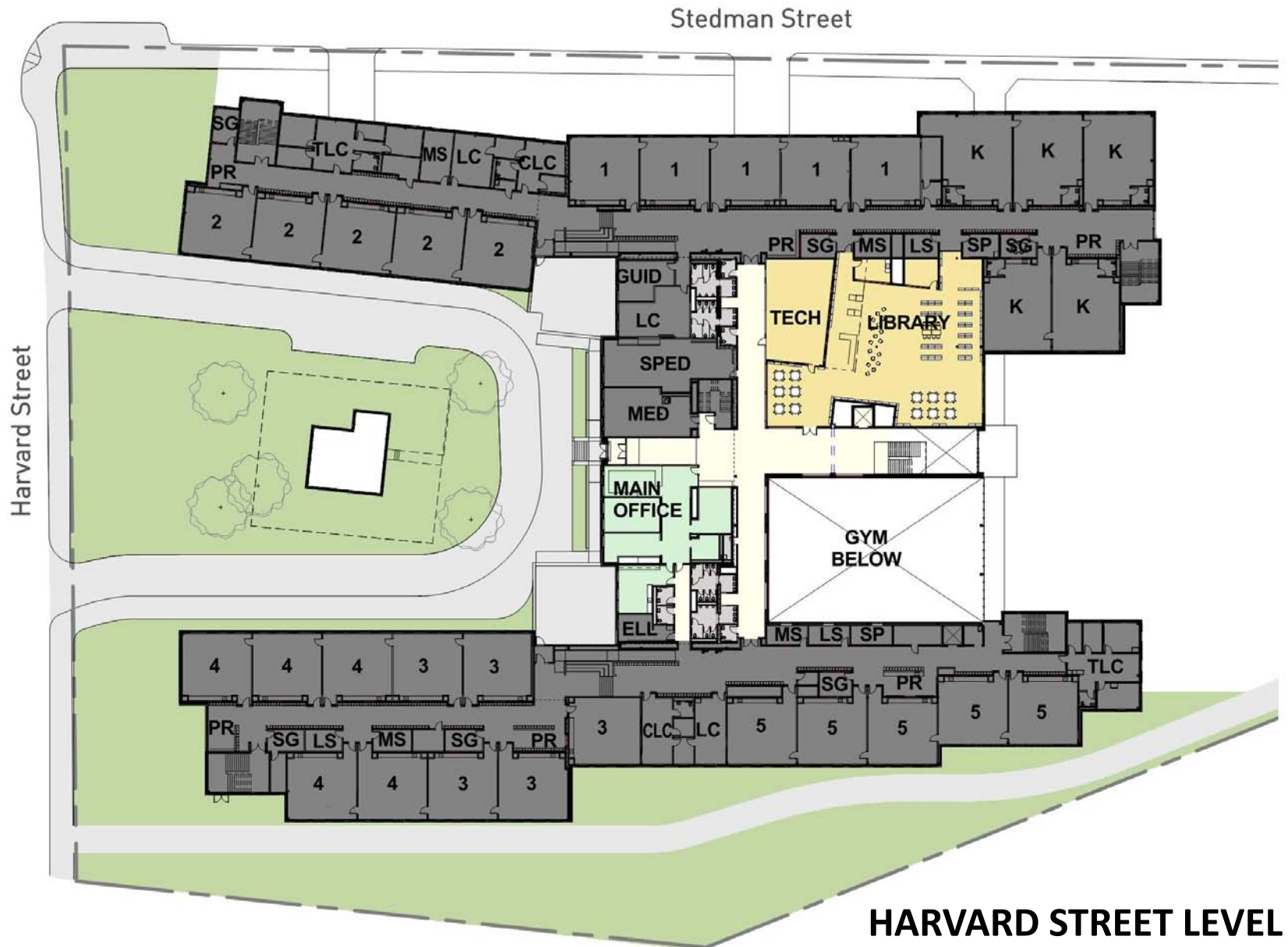
# BUILDING USE NORMAL SCHOOL DAY



# BUILDING USE AFTER HOURS

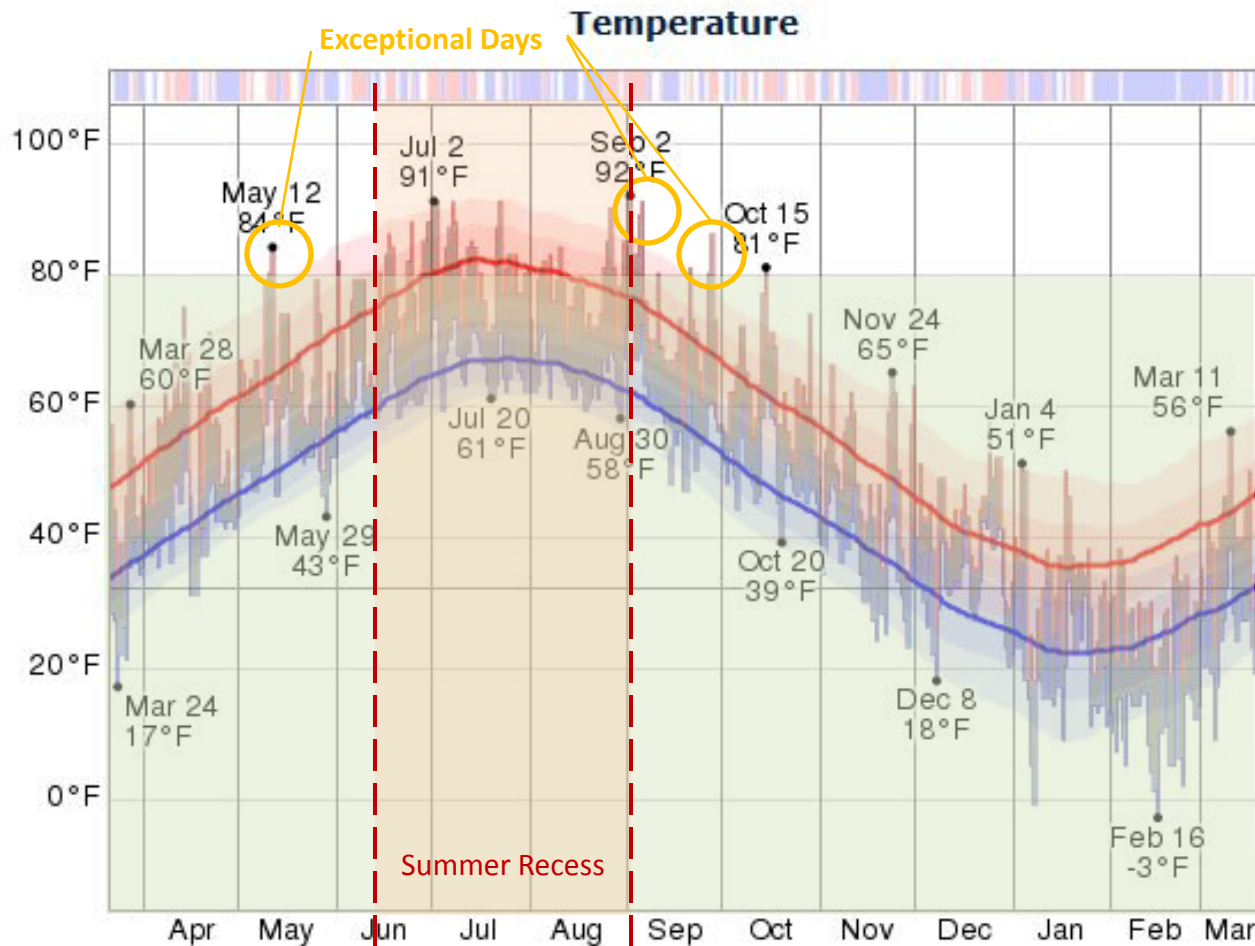


# BUILDING USE VACATION/ SUMMER



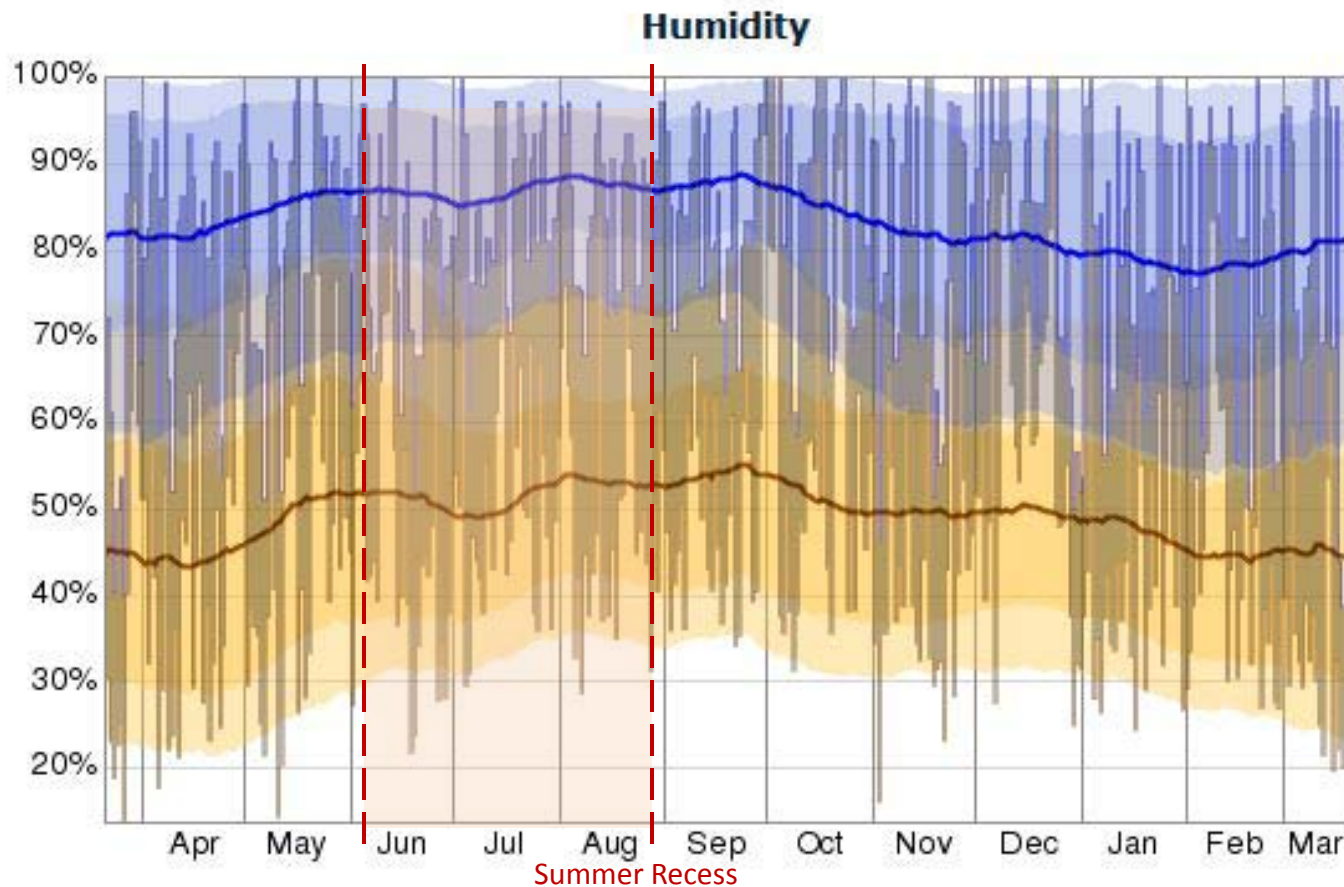


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The daily low (blue) and high (red) temperature during the last 12 months with the area between them shaded gray and superimposed over the corresponding averages (thick lines), and with percentile bands (inner band from 25th to 75th percentile, outer band from 10th to 90th percentile). The bar at the top of the graph is red where both the daily high and low are above average, blue where they are both below average, and white otherwise.

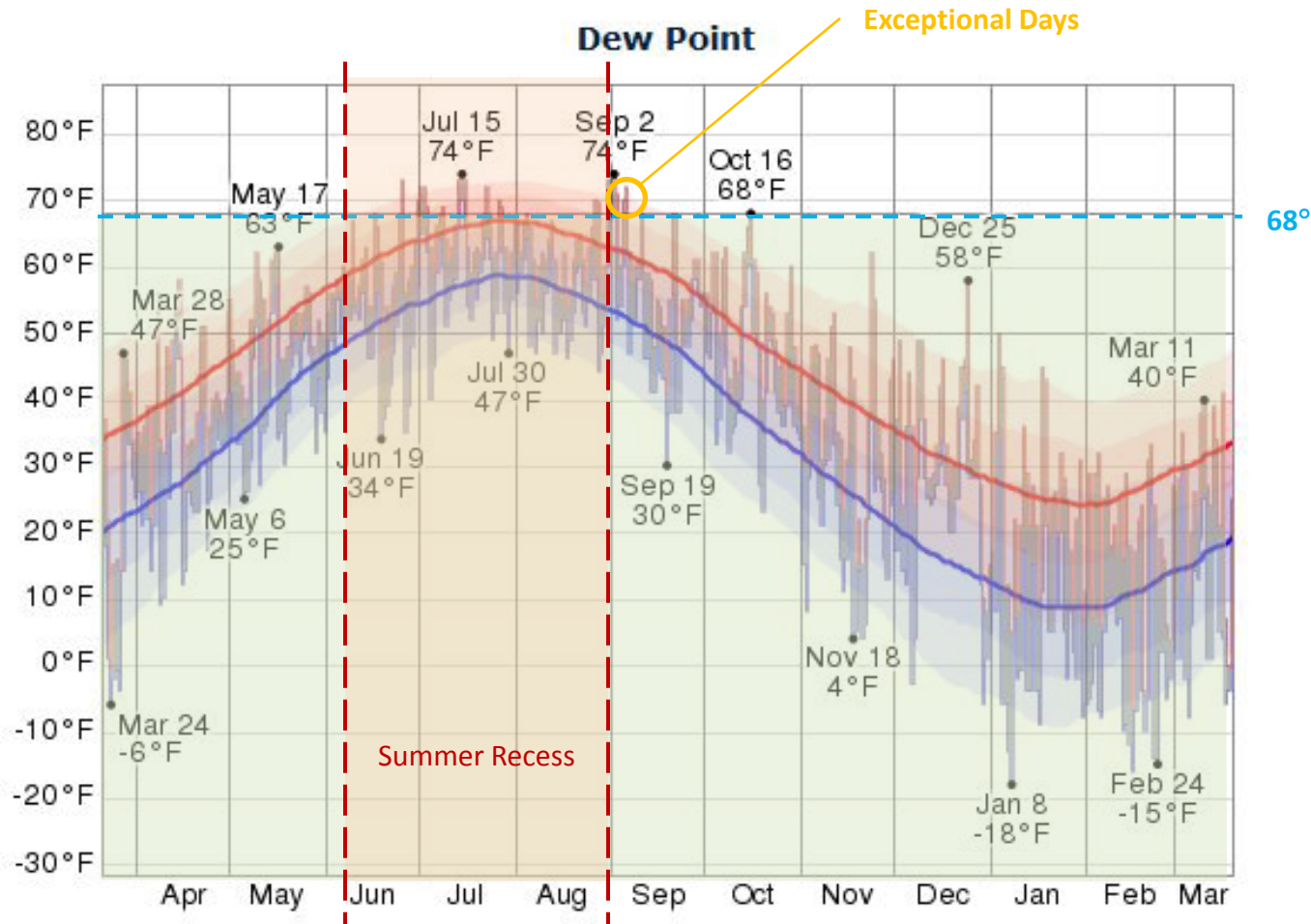
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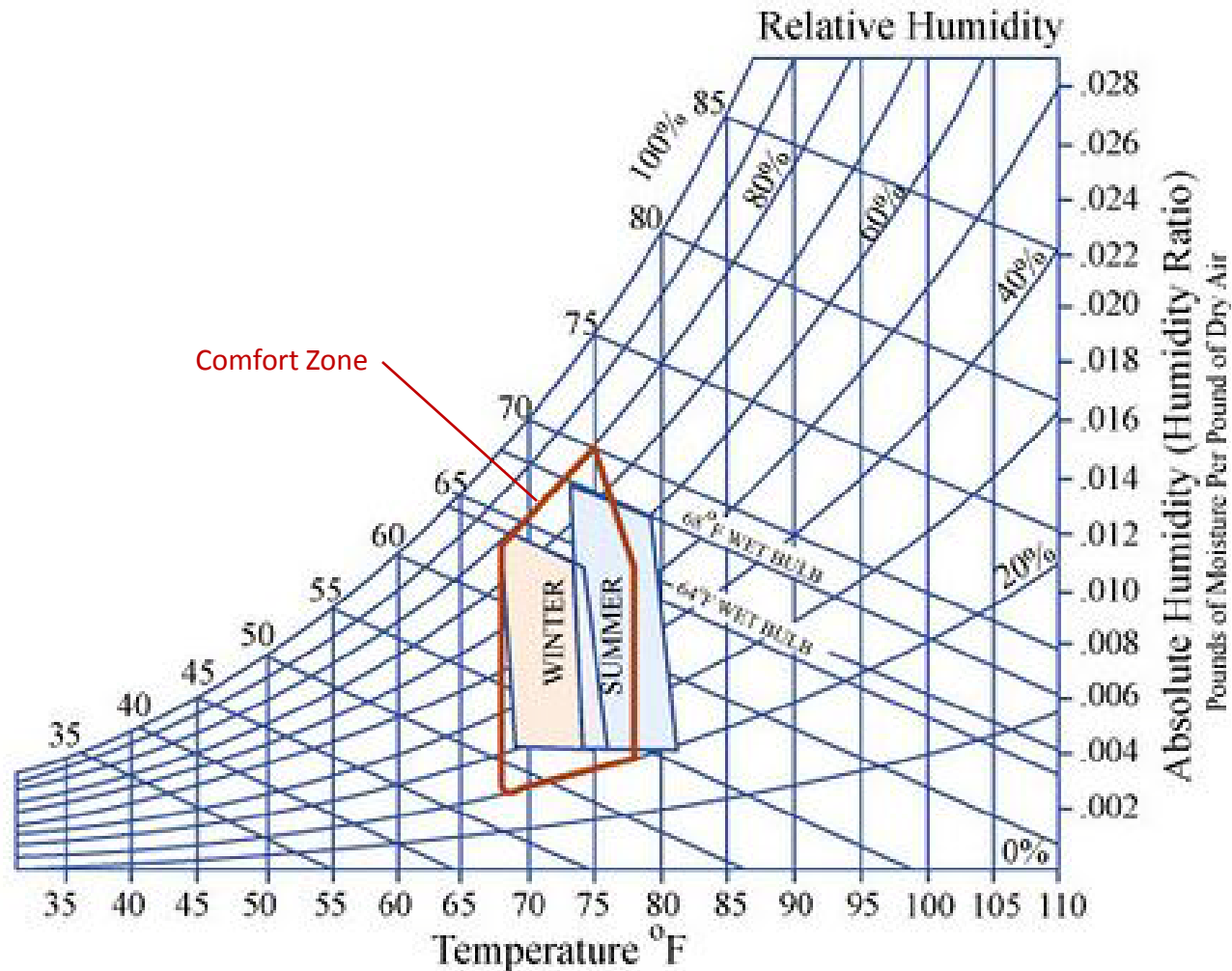


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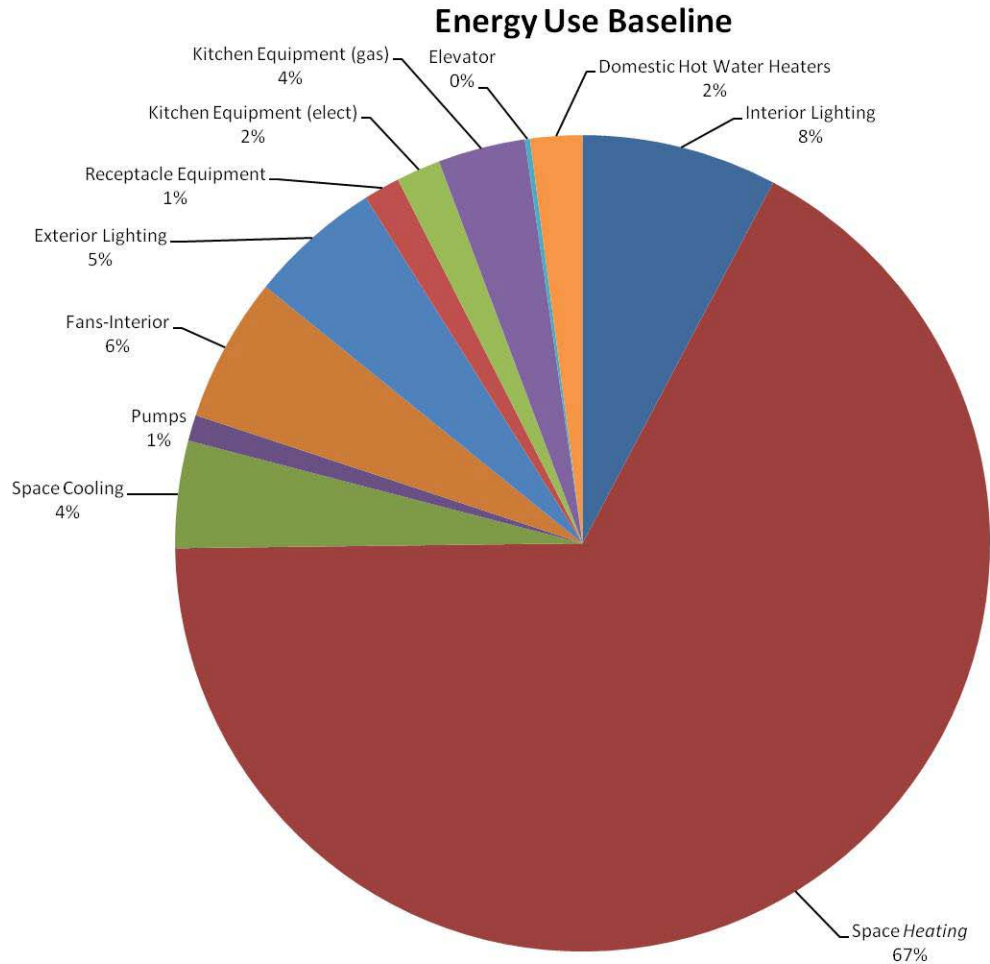
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# EXPECTATION FOR HUMAN COMFORT

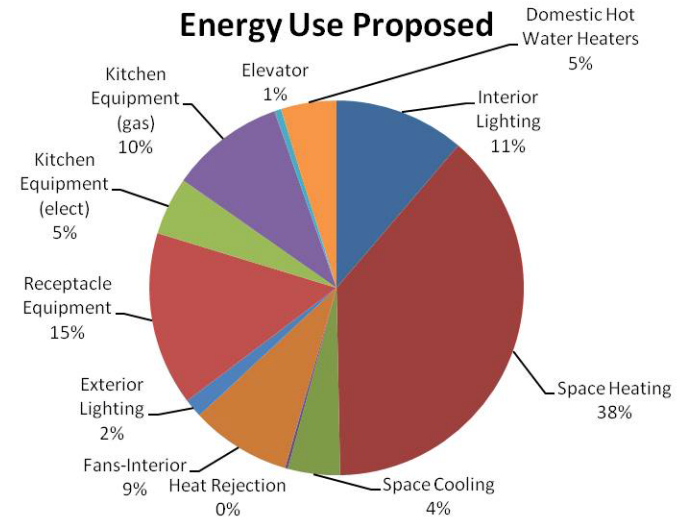


# WHERE IS THE ENERGY USED?

(Example from Pell Elementary School in Newport, R.I.)



Total Energy Use: 10,437,407 kBTU



Total Energy Use: 3,655,633 kBTU

# PAYBACK ANALYSIS

(Example from Pell Elementary School in Newport, R.I.)

Superior Energy Efficiency Measures for Newport Elementary School  
(To Provide Energy Savings Greater Than 40% Better Than Code, Assuming Current Design is 30% Better Than Code)

Item #	Description of Energy Efficient Design	Capacity	Cost Add (Note 1)	Approximate Expected % Savings (Note 2)	Simple Payback (Years)	Remarks
1	Lighting	Change from 0.75 w/s.f. (Base Design) to 0.6 w/s.f. (Superior Efficiency)	\$53,550	4.7%	8.9	There are rebates for LED lighting likely to reduce payback to 3 years
2	Photovoltaics	30 kW	\$150,000	5.0%	24.8	Cost Estimate based on \$5/watt
3	Photovoltaics (Superior Design)	60 kW	\$270,000	11.0%	20.3	Cost Estimate based on \$4.5/watt
4	Photovoltaics (Net Zero Design)	450 kW	\$1,800,000	100.0%	14.9	Cost Estimate based on \$4/watt, Net Zero Building Option (Note 3,4)
5	Geothermal (Partial Building)	Change from 40 ton chiller to 40 ton geothermal system	\$174,514	13.0%	6.9	Serves Media Center and Administration Areas
6	Geothermal (Entire Building)	Increase from 40 ton to 120 ton geothermal system	\$369,852	5.0%	61.3	-
7	Superior Wall	Wall Insulation R-32	\$81,396	1.8%	37.4	Base Design: Wall Insulation R-24.5
8	Superior Roof	Roof Insulation R-40	\$91,392	2.2%	34.4	Base Design: Roof Insulation R-30

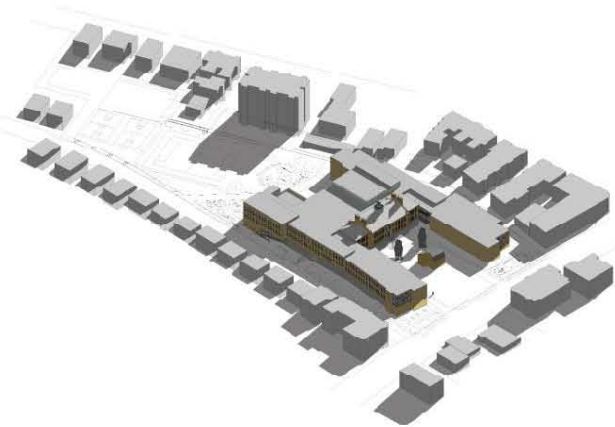
Note 1: Additional costs per PM&C cost estimate with the exception of Item #'s 2, 3, and 4 which were by Garcia Galuska DeSousa and are reflective of recent projects. All costs include a 19% general contractor mark-up.

Note 2: Approximate energy savings of each item are not necessarily additive. For example; an improved envelope will result in decreased cooling/heating loads which in turn would reduce the cooling/heating savings seen for a geothermal system.

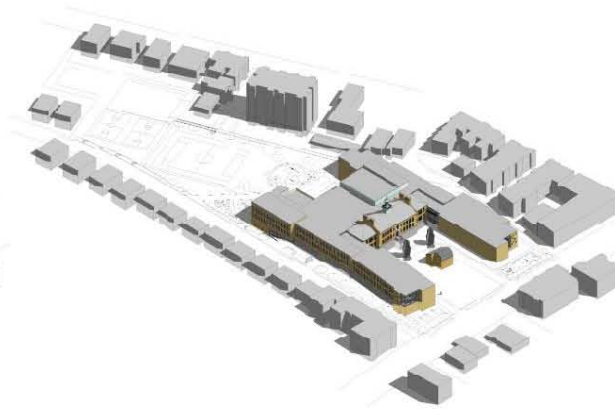
Note 3: Requires entire building geothermal system is selected to provide a Net Zero Building Option.

Note 4: Payback does not include possible SREC reimbursement from state or federal government.

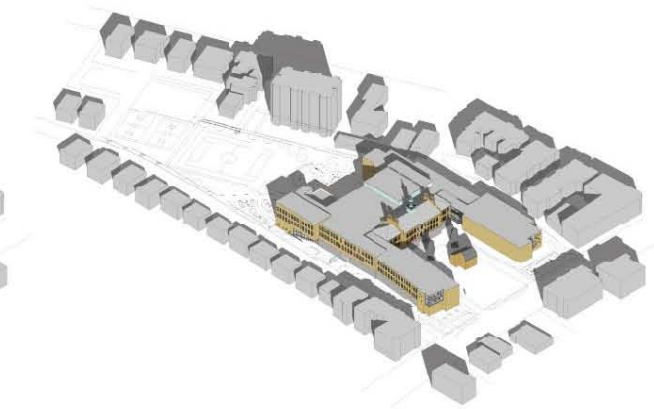
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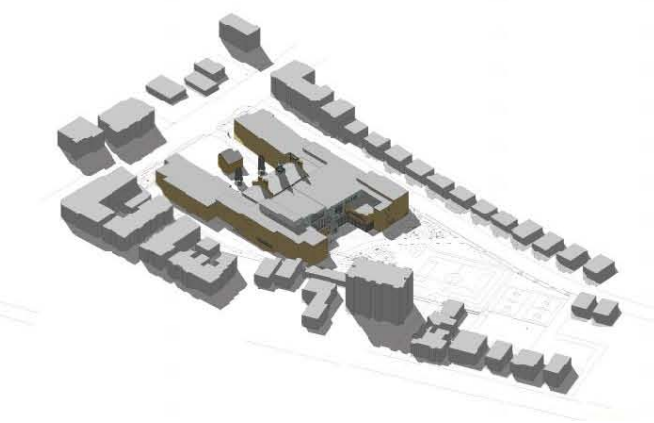
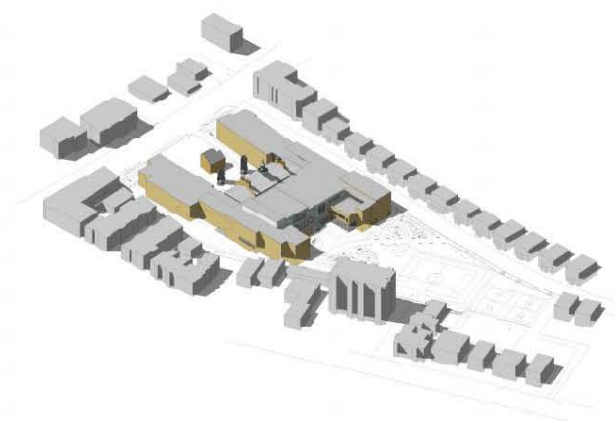
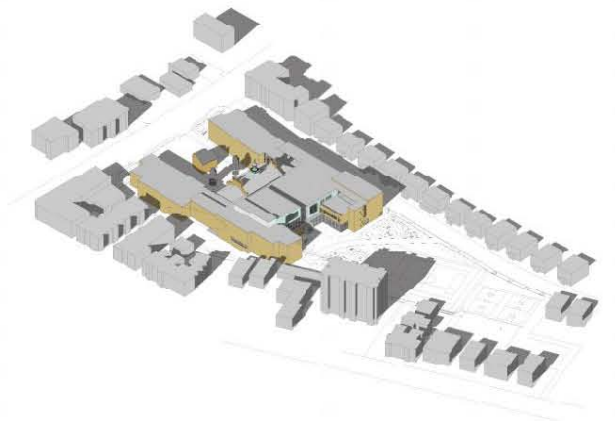
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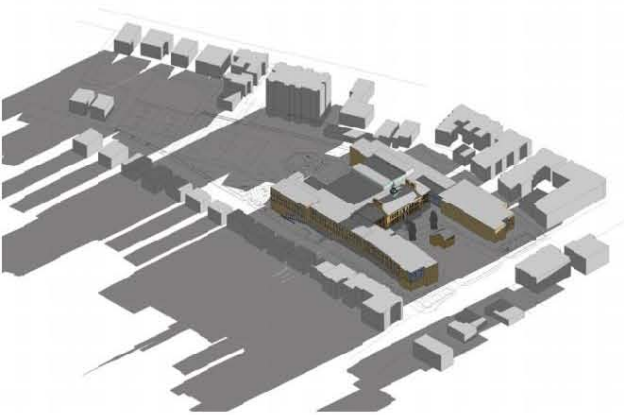
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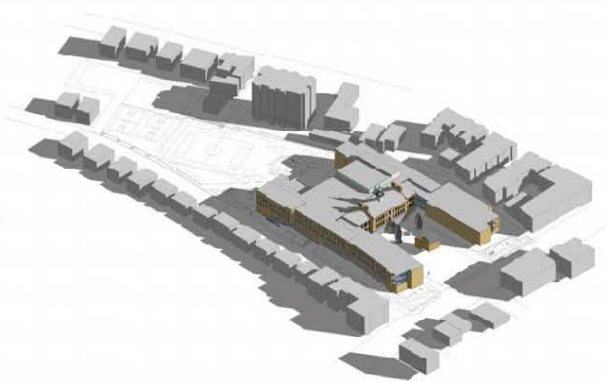
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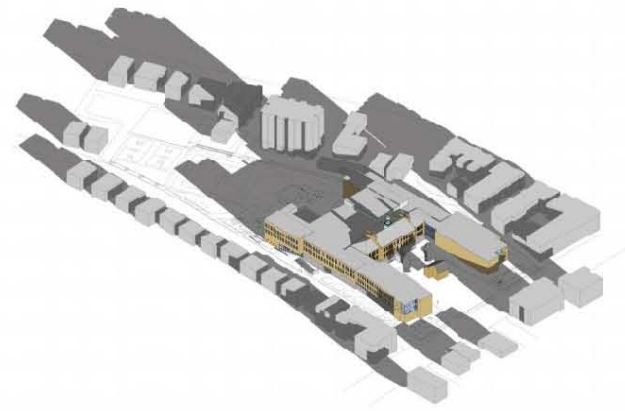
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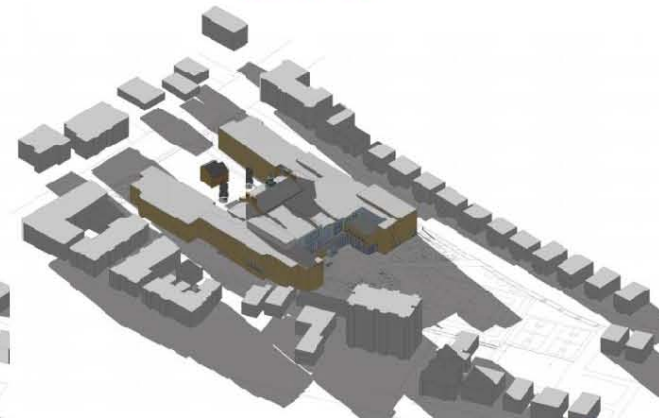
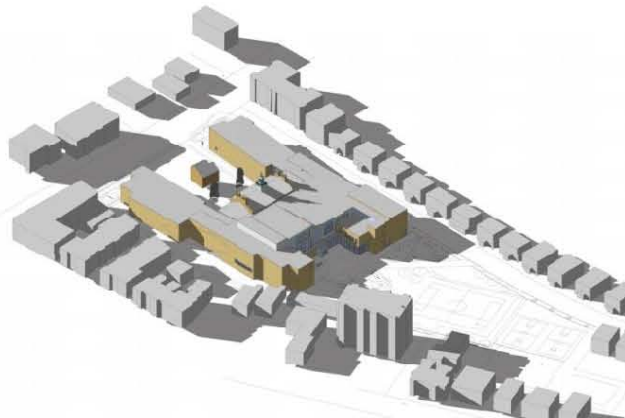
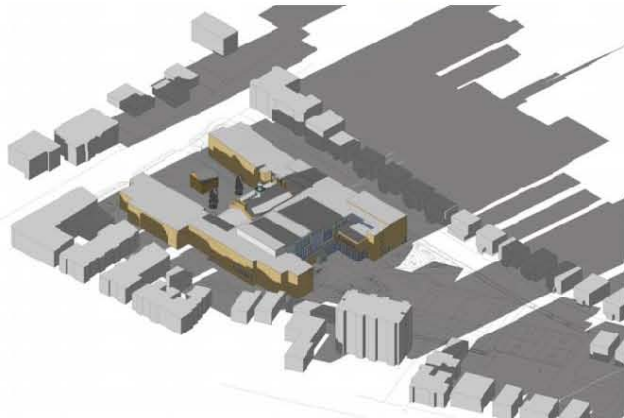
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WINTER EQUINOX



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# PROPOSED SITE PLAN



# OTHER GOALS





# NEXT STEPS

